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### **Rialto Man Arrested for Making Criminal Threats**

San Bernardino, CA - Investigators from the San Bernardino County District Attorney's Office arrested Abdon Lucero, 65, of Rialto, for threatening to harm a State Compensation Insurance Fund (SCIF) employee. The SCIF employee contacted the District Attorney's Workers' Compensation Unit and reported that Lucero threatened to physically harm her because he was upset that his business was the focus of an investigation by the SCIF and the District Attorney's Office. Lucero is suspected of engaging in premium fraud violations

The District Attorney's Office investigated the accusations made by the SCIF employee, and filed charges against Lucero, alleging that he made criminal threats against the employee. DA Investigators obtained a \$50,000.00 arrest warrant for Lucero and took him into custody in San Bernardino. Lucero was booked into the Sheriff's Central Detention Center, located in San Bernardino.

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